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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir/Madam:

In reply to the Office Action issued November 8, 2005 (herein, "Office Action"), please enter the amendments that follow:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4.

Remarks begin on page 6.

Petition for One Month Extension of Time

Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time for replying to the Office Action. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee for this extension (\$120.00) to Deposit Account No. 02-2334.

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